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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A pesticidal composition ~~devoid of pyrethrum~~ comprising: a pesticidally-acceptable carrier; and a pesticidally-effective active ingredient, wherein the pesticidally-effective active ingredient consists of

~~an a~~ pesticidally effective amount of at least one plant essential oil compound selected from the group consisting of benzyl alcohol, eugenol and phenyl ethyl alcohol, and ~~an a~~ pesticidally effective amount of an enzyme inhibitor selected from the group consisting of piperonyl butoxide, N-(2-ethylhexyl)-bicyclo-(2,2,1)hept-5-ene 2,3-dicarboximide, and sesamex.

Claims 2-5 (CANCELED)

6. (Previously Presented) A method for killing or controlling pests, comprising: applying to a locus where killing or control of pests is desired an effective amount of the composition of claim 1.

Claims 7-17 (CANCELED)

18. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The pesticidal composition devoid of pyrethrum of claim 1, comprising: a pesticidally acceptable carrier, an effective amount of wherein the plant essential oil compound is benzyl alcohol; and an effective amount of the enzyme inhibitor is piperonyl butoxide.~~

19. (Currently Amended) ~~A-The pesticidal composition devoid of pyrethrum of claim 1, comprising: a pesticidally acceptable pesticidal carrier, an effective amount of wherein the plant~~

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essential oil compound is benzyl alcohol; and an effective amount of the enzyme inhibitor is N-(2-ethylhexyl)-bicyclo-(2,2,1)hept-5-ene 2,3-dicarboximide.

Claims 20-23 (CANCELED)

24. (Currently Amended) ~~A The~~ pesticidal composition devoid of pyrethrum of claim 1,
~~comprising: a pesticidally acceptable carrier, an effective amount of wherein the plant essential~~
oil is benzyl alcohol; and an effective amount of the enzyme inhibitor is sesamex.

25. (Previously Presented) The pesticidal composition of claim 18, wherein the plant essential oil compound and enzyme inhibitor are present in a ratio of 1:2 parts by weight.

26. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 6, wherein the pest is ~~selected from the group consisting of invertebrates, insects, and arachnids~~ a cockroach.

Claim 27 (CANCELED)